

# INMATE POPULATION

August 31, 2015

## POPULATION vs. DESIGN CAPACITY

	<u>Design Capacity</u>	<u>Actual Population</u>	<u>% of Capacity</u>
CCC-L	200	361	180.50%
CCC-O	90	167	185.56%
DEC	160	387	241.88%
LCC	308	520	168.83%
NCCW	275	319	116.00%
NCYF	68	71	104.41%
NSP	718	1273	177.30%
OCC	396	766	193.43%
TSCI	960	1048	109.17%
WEC	100	190	190.00%

<b>TOTAL DCS:</b>			
8-31-15	3275	5102	155.79%
8-31-14	3275	5094	155.54%

# DCS' COUNTY JAIL POPULATION

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Buffalo County JAIL	10
Lincoln County JAIL	17
Saline County JAIL	12
Phelps County JAIL	31
Hall County JAIL	82
Dawson County JAIL	19
Platte County JAIL	46
Total	217

## CRIME TYPE of POPULATION

Part I Offenses *	2053	40.2%
Part II Offenses**	3049	59.8%
<b>TOTAL POPULATION</b>	5102	

\*1<sup>ST</sup> Degree Murder, 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree Murder, Manslaughter,  
1<sup>st</sup> Degree Assault, 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Sexual Assault,  
1<sup>st</sup> Degree Sexual Assault of a Child, Robbery.

\*\*All other offenses.

**FACILITY 3YR RECIDIVISM RATE (FY11)**  
22.3%

## ADMIT STATUS of POPULATION - DEC

<u>Admit Status</u>	<u>Population</u>	<u>% of Population</u>
Sentenced	363	93.8%
County Safekeeper	16	2.1%
90 Day Evaluator	8	4.1%

**TOTAL POPULATION** 387

## ADMIT STATUS of POPULATION - NCCW

<u>Admit Status</u>	<u>Population</u>	<u>% of Population</u>
Sentenced	308	96.6%
Interstate Transfer	3	0.9%
County Safekeeper	4	1.3%
90 Day Evaluator	4	1.3%

**TOTAL POPULATION** 319

(avg NCCW diag / eval unit pop is 40)

## OFFENSE CATEGORY for MOST SERIOUS OFFENSE & PERCENT of TOTAL

### POPULATION CONFINED (6-30-15)

<u>Offense</u>	<u>Population</u>	<u>% of Population</u>
Sex Offenses	961	18.8%
Assault	631	12.4%
Drugs	611	12.0%
Homicide	597	11.7%
Weapons	482	9.4%
Robbery	440	8.6%
Theft	392	7.7%
Burglary	353	6.9%
Motor Vehicle	309	6.0%
Fraud	126	2.5%
Other	99	1.9%
Restraint	55	1.1%
Morals	25	0.5%
Arson	16	0.3%

## LIFE SENTENCES

Total Inmates Sentenced to Capital Punishment	10
Total Inmates Sentenced to Life w/out Parole	269
Total Inmates Sentenced to Life with Parole	94
<b>(6-30-15)</b>	
Total Inmates Sentenced to Life w/out Parole	266

## CUSTODY CLASSIFICATION

<u>CUSTODY LEVEL</u>	<u>TOTAL PER CUSTODY LEVEL</u>	<u>% OF TOTAL</u>
Maximum	1358	26.6%
Medium	1339	26.2%
Minimum	1477	28.9%
Community	573	11.2%
Unclassified*	355	7.0%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5102</b>	

\*Unclassified admissions to the Diagnostic & Evaluation Center are treated as maximum until classification is completed.

## RANDOM DRUG TESTING PROGRAM

### Baseline test 6/1991 - 17.35% tested positive

2012 Average	1.19% tested positive
2013 Average	0.90% tested positive
2014 Average	0.72% tested positive
2015 Average	1.40% tested positive

# PAROLE POPULATION

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Regular Sentence	1068	% of DCS Pop	16.71%
Interstate Transfers	230	(excluded)	
Re-Entry Furlough	3	(excluded)	

**PAROLE 3YR RECIDIVISM RATE (FY11)**  
32.0%

<b>Parole Eligible</b>	<b>Avg. Time on Parole (FY14)</b>
1321	9.29 months

## PAROLE RANDOM DRUG TESTING

### Baseline test 1997 - 12.5% tested positive

2012 Average	20.40% tested positive
2013 Average	19.63% tested positive
2014 Average	22.73% tested positive
2015 Average	10.21% tested positive

## Felony Class Changes from LB 605

LB 605 was passed last legislative session and went into effect on August 30, 2015. This bill contains a number of criminal justice reforms including significant changes to the penalties for Class IV, Class IIIA and Class III felonies and the creation of a new Class IIa felony class. The changes to Class IV, IIIA and III felonies involve moving from an indeterminate sentence scheme, in which the judge sets a minimum and maximum sentence within the sentencing range, to a determinate sentencing scheme in which the judge selects a term of incarceration followed by a term of post-release supervision in the community. Individuals convicted of Class IV, IIIa and III felonies under the new LB 605 sentencing structure are not parole eligible and will transition from incarceration to post-release supervision in the community by the Office of Probation Administration. LB 605 also created a new felony class, Class IIa, which closely mirrors the penalty structure for the former Class III felony class and which houses violent crimes which were formerly Class III felonies.

The changes to the felony classes are outlined below:

### Class IV Felony\*

Former Penalty: 0-5 Years Imprisonment  
New Penalty: 0-2 Years Imprisonment followed by 9-12 months of post release supervision.

### Class IIIa Felony\*

Former Penalty: 0-5 Years Imprisonment  
New Penalty: 0-3 Years imprisonment followed by 9-18 months of post-release supervision.

### Class III Felony\*

Former Penalty: 1-20 years imprisonment  
New Penalty: 0-4 years imprisonment followed by 9-24 months of post-release supervision.

### Class IIa Felony\*

New Penalty: 0-20 years imprisonment

\*The changes to these penalty classes only affect individuals who commit crimes after August 30, 2015. The Department will continue to see individuals admitted under the old sentencing scheme for the next 9-12 months.

## INSTITUTIONS / PROGRAMS

**Average Cost Per Offender  
(All facilities including Parole)  
Nebraska FY 2014 \$28,182/year**

### **Adult Parole Administration (APA)**

Average Cost per Parolee per Year \$4,090  
Anne Hansen, Acting Administrator  
Folsom & West Prospector Place, Bldg. 15  
Lincoln, NE 68522  
(402) 471-2654

### **Community Corrections Center-Lincoln (CCC-L)**

Community Custody  
Average Cost per Inmate per Year \$18,833  
Rich Cruickshank, Warden  
2720 West Van Dorn  
Lincoln, NE 68522  
(402) 471-0740

### **Community Corrections Center- Omaha (CCC-O)**

Community Custody  
Average Cost per Inmate per Year \$21,905  
Charles West, Warden  
2320 Avenue 'J'  
Omaha, NE 68110  
(402) 595-2010

### **Diagnostic & Evaluation Center (DEC)**

Maximum Custody  
Average Cost per Inmate per Year \$32,230  
Fred Britten, Warden  
3220 West Van Dorn  
Lincoln, NE 68522  
(402) 471-3330

### **Lincoln Correctional Center (LCC)**

Maximum & Medium Custody  
Average Cost per Inmate per Year \$41,459  
Mario Peart, Warden  
3216 West Van Dorn  
Lincoln, NE 68522  
(402) 471-2861

Nebraska was the tenth prison system in the nation having all adult facilities, industries, central office, staff training academy, and adult parole accredited through the American Correctional Association.

### **Nebraska Correctional Center for Women (NCCW)**

Maximum, Medium & Minimum Custody  
Average Cost per Inmate per Year \$39,875  
Denise Skrobecki, Warden  
1107 Recharge Road  
York, NE 68467-8003  
(402) 362-3317

### **Nebraska Correctional Youth Facility (NCYF)**

Maximum, Medium & Minimum Custody  
Average Cost per Inmate per Year \$92,256  
Ryan Mahr, Warden  
2610 North 20<sup>th</sup> Street East  
Omaha, NE 68110  
(402) 595-2000

### **Nebraska State Penitentiary (NSP)**

Maximum, Medium, Minimum Custody &  
Residential Treatment Community  
Average Cost per Inmate per Year \$33,886  
Robert Madsen, Acting Warden  
4201 South 14<sup>th</sup> Street  
Lincoln, NE 68542  
(402) 471-3161

### **Omaha Correctional Center (OCC)**

Medium & Minimum Custody  
Average Cost per Inmate per Year \$25,922  
Barbara Lewien, Warden  
2323 Avenue 'J'  
Omaha, NE 68110  
(402) 595-3964

### **Tecumseh State Correctional Institution (TSCI)**

Maximum, Medium, Death Row & Intensive Management  
Average Cost per Inmate per Year \$36,605  
Brian Gage, Warden  
2725 N. Highway 50  
Tecumseh, NE 68450  
(402) 335-5998

### **Work Ethic Camp, McCook (WEC)**

Intensive Supervision Probationers & Minimum Custody  
Average Cost per Inmate per Year \$40,666  
Pam Morello, Warden  
2309 North Highway 83  
McCook, NE 69001  
(308) 345-8405

## Vision Points

- Best Practices - *identify and implement best practices*
- Commitment to Staff – *partner with staff*
- Community Awareness and Involvement – *partner with the community*
- Credibility – *furthering public trust*
- Family Involvement – *allow families an active role (staff and inmate families)*
- Fiscal Accountability – *efficient and effective operations*
- Seamless Criminal Justice System – *collaboration with other entities*
- Offender Accountability – *environments in which offender accountability will flourish*
- Offender Programs – *sustaining meaningful program opportunities*

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## MISSION STATEMENT

*To serve and protect the public by providing control, humane care and program opportunities for those individuals placed in its custody and supervision, thereby facilitating their return to society as responsible persons.*